

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 32, line 8, as follows:

The longitudinal section of the bovine tooth which was confirmed to become white by the treatment of the oral preparation of the each Example was evaluated by the same procedure and criteria of the evaluating methods employed in Example A series. A sample which had a light scattering layer (~~like as FIG. 1 (a)~~) was shown as "○", and a sample which did not have any light scattering layer (~~like as FIG. 1 (b)~~) was shown as "×".